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CLAIMS⁴

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1) Système of collection and distribution of digital data

having at least:

- a means of mass storage of digital data;
- a means of choice of the digital data contained in the means of mass storage;
- a means of extraction of the selected data of the said means of mass storage;
- a means of listening or visualization of the selected data;
- a means of loading of the selected data on independent data supports;
- a means of calculation of the price to pay to obtain the loading of the data selected on the said independent data supports;
- a means of payment;

characterized in that it has one or more means making it possible to charge data on the said means of mass storage.

2) Système according to claim 1,

characterized in that an automatic means of the system, or a human means, analyzes the data introduced into the means of loading of the means of mass storage, accepts or not these data, and determines the price of hiring of the volume of the means of mass storage which will be occupied by these data.

3) Système according to claim 2,

characterized in that the means of analysis of the data determines and displays, in absolute value and expressed as a percentage, the sums which will be versed to the legal claimants of the selected digital data.

4) Système according to claim 1,

characterized in that a means of payment authorizes the loading of the data to charge on the means of mass storage only when the payment of the hiring of the volume which will be occupied is completed.

5) Système according to claim 1,

characterized in that a means of management of the means of mass storage registers the data in charge on this means of mass storage, on a catalogue describing the contents of the said means of mass storage.

6) Système according to claim 1,

characterized in that part of the data charged by the means of loading on the means of mass storage, and directly accessible in auditive or visual form, are advertising data.

7) Système according to claim 2,

characterized in that the data of the musical type contained in the means of mass storage are accompanied by a spectrum of the musical notations and a lexical analysis, and in that the automatic means of analysis does, on the data waiting to be loaded in the means of mass storage, a musical spectrum and a lexical analysis which it compares with those existing in the said means of mass storage.

US CLAIMS

1) Autonomous data distributing-machine having at least:

a mass memory;

a means of selection of the data contained in the mass memory;

a means of loading the data selected on independent data supports;

characterized in that it has a reader directly accessible from outer, and dedicated to the reading of data supports brought by a creator, for example CD or DVD;

2) Autonomous data distributing-machine according to claim 1, characterized in that it has an intermediate memory in which will be charged temporarily the data read by the reader dedicated to the reading of the data support brought by a creator;

3) Autonomous data distributing-machine according to claim 1, characterized in that it has a means of analysis providing a musical and/or lexical spectrum of each audio-visual piece constituting the data brought by a creator, and read by the dedicated reader;

4) Autonomous data distributing-machine according to claim 1, characterized in that to each piece of audio-visual data existing in the mass memory is added its musical and/or lexical spectrum,

5) Autonomous data distributing-machine according to claim 1, characterized in that it has a means of comparison of the musical and/or lexical spectra allowing to the said autonomous data distributing-machine :

a) to compare an audio-visual piece brought by a creator with audio-visual pieces existing in mass memory,

b) to accept or refuse the pieces brought by the creator,

6) Autonomous data distributing-machine according to claim 1, characterized in that it has a means to fix the price of hiring of the memory capacity which will be occupied by the accepted audio-visual data, increased by their musical and/or lexical spectra, and on standby in the intermediate memory.

7) Autonomous data distributing-machine according to claim 1, characterized in that it has a specific means of payment authorizing the loading in the mass memory, of the data in standby in the intermediate memory, when the payment of the hiring is made.

8) Autonomous slot-machine of data according to claim 1, characterized in that the means of analysis of the data determines and displays, in absolute value and expressed as a percentage, the sums which will be versed to the creators and/or legal claimants of the data chosen by user.